Reply to Office Action of November 17, 2009

REMARKS

Applicants acknowledge the restriction requirement mailed November 17, 2009. In response, Applicants elect to prosecute the invention of Group I, claims 1-14, without traverse. Accordingly, claims 15-24 are withdrawn.

Applicants further elect without traverse the following species: etching to remove the sacrificial material; silver as the structural material; and copper as the sacrificial material.

Applicants respectfully request prompt consideration on the merits.

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